

## TEN ZEPPELINS IN THE RAID

ONE OF RAIDERS IS DRIVEN AWAY  
AND ANOTHER ONE IS DESTROYED"A COWARDLY REFUSAL" IS  
MADE BY JOHN CORNWELL

One Airship Approaches the City of London but is Driven Off by Gunfire.

## COUNT ZEPPELIN ESCAPES

Serbian Troops Make a Long Stride in Their Advance in Eastern War Zone.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—Ten Zeppelins took part in Sunday night's raid over England. Two of them attempted to attack London. One of them was driven away and the other was destroyed. No reports of casualties have been received. Following is an official account of the raid:

Ten airships crossed the east coast Sunday night between 9 o'clock and midnight. One airship approached the north of London at about 10 p. m. and was driven off by gunfire and pursued by aeroplanes. It attempted to return from the northwest but was attacked by guns and aeroplanes and brought to earth in flames in the neighborhood of Potter's Bar, shortly before midnight.

A second airship attempted to attack London from the northeast and was driven off. Bombs were dropped. No reports of casualties or damage have yet been received.

The remaining airships wandered aimlessly over the eastern counties. In Lincolnshire bombs were dropped promiscuously. Most of them appear to have been dropped in open country without doing damage.

The airship destroyed was of the latest type.

Friends of Count Zeppelin were alarmed when they learned that another airship had been brought down in England Sunday night, says the Amsterdam correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company. The count intended to take part in the raid, the correspondent states, but a message sent to Germany elicited the information that at the last moment, owing to the persuasion of his family, he decided not to join the raiders.

Except for part of the envelope there is left hardly a vestige recognizable as part of the huge airship which was brought down Sunday night near Potter's Bar. The Zeppelin burned more fiercely than the one previously destroyed, which, like it, fortunately fell in an open field.

The members of the crew were incinerated and the bodies scattered over the field on which the airship alighted some eighty yards from a farmer's cottage.

The Zeppelin appeared to remain almost stationary in the air for three minutes after the envelope burst into flames. The tongues of fire seemed to lick along the ribs until it was all ablaze. Even then it dropped so slowly that many persons, who had been awakened until the cheering aroused them, were able to reach the windows in time to see it fall.

Neither the airship which was destroyed nor the second one which attacked London succeeded in penetrating the outer defenses of the capital. Little or no damage was done either by them or by the eight others which operated over eastern counties.

SERBIANS GO FORWARD  
NORTH OF THE HEIGHT

PARIS, Oct. 2.—Following up the advantage gained over the Bulgarians at Kaimaktsalan height on the western end of the Macedonian front, the Serbians advanced one and one half miles north of the height and occupied the village of Kotehovie, the war office announced Monday.

SEVERAL VILLAGES ARE  
CAPTURED BY BRITISH

LONDON, Oct. 2.—The portions of the Bulgarian line on the Struma front which were captured September 30 include the villages of Kara Zakoibah and Kara Zakolizir, says Monday's official report of operations on the Macedonian front.

"Repeated enemy counter attacks against these places were unsuccessful and were beaten off with heavy losses. All the ground won has now been consolidated. There is no sign of the enemy for some distance in front of our trenches."

GAINS FOR RUSSIANS  
IN THEIR NEW DRIVE

VIENNA, Oct. 2.—Gains for the Russians in their new drive towards Lemberg are admitted in a statement issued Monday by the war office, supplementing the official announcement of Sunday.

GERMANS REPULSED  
BY BRITISH TROOPS

LONDON, Oct. 2.—British troops on the Somme front Sunday night repulsed a German attack east of the village of Eaucourt l'Abbaye, the war office announced Monday.

The buildings of Eaucourt l'Abbaye have been cleared of Germans. In the Thiepval region the British advanced Sunday night north of Courcellette but were forced by a German counter attack to give up part of a trench they had captured.

R. T. Armstrong, of Parkersburg, is in the city.

## CHAMPIONSHIP

In the National League May Not Be Decided until the Coming Thursday.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—The National League championship may not be decided until next Thursday, the last day of the season, so close is the race between Brooklyn and Philadelphia.

Brooklyn, which Monday starts a four game series with New York, has an advantage of only a fraction of a game. Philadelphia has six games to play yet, all with Boston, and they must be played in four days. Boston has only a slight chance to win as it must take all six games from Philadelphia and Brooklyn must lose three out of four to New York. All of the western teams have completed their schedules.

## BIG INCREASE

In Shipments of Iron Ore from American Head of the Lakes is Shown.

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 2.—The shipments of iron ore from the docks of the American head of the lakes for the season ending September 30 show an increase of 9,535,710 tons over last season, according to reports of the several shipping companies Monday.

Shipments for the season to October 1 were 33,898, 420 against 24,362,710 in 1915.

## ZEPPELIN IN ARCTIC.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Oct. 2.—A German submarine has made its way into the Arctic ocean and has torpedoed three Norwegian steamships there.

Temple and Schuck to  
Open G. O. P. Campaign

## CLUB TO MEET

Young Men's Republican Club Will Meet Tuesday Evening.

A regular weekly meeting of the Young Men's Republican club will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday night at the Hughes Club headquarters on Second street. At this meeting regular routine business will be transacted and a speech will be made by a well known Republican. Several fine speakers are available for this meeting but President Louchery has not decided which one to use yet.

On account of the rapid growth made by the club during the last few weeks it was necessary to hold the meeting in the Hughes headquarters on Second street, as the county headquarters in the Goff building was not large enough to accommodate all the members who were attending the meeting.

## MRS. COOK VERY LOW.

Mrs. Helen M. Cook, aunt of Mrs. D. P. Morgan, of this city, is very low at the home of Mrs. Ollie Willis, a sister, at Bridgeport. She has pleurisy and her death is believed to be only a matter of hours. Mrs. Cook is remembered here as chief operator of a telephone exchange here fifteen years ago.

JUDGE ROBINSON  
IN MORGAN NOW

## LONGWORTH

Will Speak in Courthouse Here at 8 o'clock Saturday Night along with Schuck.

Congressman Nicholas Longworth, of Ohio, son-in-law of Colonel Roosevelt, will speak in the courthouse here at 8 o'clock Saturday night, and the G. O. P. campaign in Clarksburg will be on. Charles J. Schuck, of Wheeling, will speak with Mr. Longworth. Following in the wake of Mr. Longworth will come several other noted Republican speakers, including Charles E. Hughes, the party's presidential nominee.

Reports to county headquarters here indicate that hundreds of persons from all parts of the county will be here Saturday night to hear Messrs. Longworth and Schuck. Mr. Longworth is a speaker of nationwide reputation, and is a leader in Congress. Mr. Schuck is known to all West Virginians as one of the state's most gifted speakers.

Music for the speaking Saturday night will be furnished by a brass band.

## REPUBLICAN WOMEN START WHIRLWIND TOUR FOR HUGHES



Women's "Hughes Campaign Special" leaving New York.

Led by Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, members of the Hughes Alliance left New York October 2 on a special train on the first whirlwind political campaign ever undertaken by women. The women will stump the west in an effort to round up the suffrage states solidly behind the Republican candidate. They will also visit states in which women do not vote.

KIRBY FUNERAL  
SERVICES  
TONIGHT

Services Will Be Conducted at Kirby Home by the Rev. W. Slaughter.

Funeral services over the body of L. L. Kirby, aged 44 years, a Baltimore and Ohio car inspector who died at his home on Williams street, Northview, at 7:30 o'clock Sunday night following a six weeks' illness of Bright's disease, will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at the home. The Rev. W. M. Slaughter will have charge of the services. The funeral party will leave here at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning on the eastbound accommodation and go to Grafton, where the burial will be in the Beaumont cemetery.

Surviving relatives of the deceased man are Mrs. Sophia Kirby, his widow, Mary and Eldia Kirby, daughters; Ira Kirby, of Simpson; D. C. Kirby, of this city; C. H. Irby, of Chicago, brothers; and Mrs. Icie Phillips, of Grafton; Mrs. Bryan Love, of Simpson, and Mrs. T. G. Bragg, of Grafton, sisters, also survive.

Mr. Kirby was a lifelong member of the Methodist Protestant church at Grafton and a member of the local lodge of Knights of Pythias.

The deceased man had been in the employ of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for twenty years, a part of the time here and the rest at Grafton. He was well known among the employees of the road and leaves a large circle of friends to mourn his loss.

## ORDERS

Are Entered in Three Cases of Litigation in the Circuit Court of the County.

In the circuit court Monday sale was confirmed in the cause of Arley Heldreth against Benjamin Rusk and others.

An amended bill was filed in the cause of Carrie G. Reager against Mary V. Allen.

Decree of sale was entered in the cause of Otto W. Smith and others against George W. Carder and others.

## SCHOOL HOUSE MEETINGS.

Announcement was made Monday morning by Roy E. Parrish, chairman of the Republican county executive committee, that school house meetings will be inaugurated in all parts of the county next Monday night. It is planned to have prominent speakers at all these meetings. Included in the list of speakers will be a number of local orators, but speakers from other parts of the state will also attend some of the meetings.

Col. Harvey Raps Wilson  
In First Campaign Article

Famous Editor Declares President Blackmailed Nation at Instigation of Gompers.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Col. George Harvey, who proposed Wilson for president in 1906, is to come out for Hughes in an article in the next North American Review, of which he is editor. In this article Harvey declares the issues of the campaign are "military and industrial preparedness, government by and for the people, and national honor and opportunity."

"Could Josephus Daniels build a great navy in the shortest possible time if he would?" Harvey asks, "and would he if he could?" He answers the question by declaring that the nation is exposed to adequate provision for defense. Harvey characterizes the Adamson wage-fixing law as the "blackmailing of the nation by the president himself at the instigation of Samuel Gompers."

After reviewing Hughes's record, Harvey asserts: "Hughes always means what he says." He declares Hughes stands for "America first" while Wilson stands for "Wilson first."

## ONE MARRIAGE LICENSE.

A marriage license has been issued to Charles A. Hullinger and Cretah J. Stutler.

MINES HAMPERED  
BY DRUNKENNESS

Great Quantities of Liquor Are Brought In and Men Are Incapacitated.

Coal operators of the Clarksburg district are complaining that so little attention is being paid to the prohibition laws of the state that mining operations are being seriously hindered throughout the district.

It is declared that Sunday has become to be generally recognized among the miners as "booze day" and that a majority of the men get on such big drunks that they are unable to report for work Monday morning. Resulting from the importation of several cases of whiskey Sunday morning to a mining plant just west of the city, it is stated, all the miners are out and the plant was forced to suspend Monday. At another smaller plant east of the city nineteen men were said to be too drunk to go to work. All the plants in the district were similarly affected Monday.

Operators say it is as easy for a miner to buy whiskey at the mining camps in the county as it is to buy a loaf of bread or a piece of meat. It is believed that most of the whiskey sold at the mining towns is taken in automobiles by professional bootleggers. Ten automobiles in one string are said to have come into the county a few nights ago with big cargoes of whiskey.

## BARNHART WILL

Is Probated Here and Homer W. Williams Qualifies as the Administrator.

The will of the late W. S. Barnhart was probated here Monday and Homer W. Williams qualified as administrator for the estate with will annexed. Bond of \$50,000 was given with the Maryland Casualty Company surety.

Two-sevenths of the estate is left to Frank Barnhart, a nephew, and the remainder in trust to the Oil City, Pa., Trust Company for three brothers, John Jeremiah and William Barnhart, each to receive one-third of the income, but moneys advanced to any of the brothers is to be deducted in the distribution. Upon the death of any of the brothers, his share is to go to his children.

The Oil City Trust Company is named as executor of the will without bond.

## MILK FAMINE

As Result of Deadlock between Dairymen and Distributors is Felt.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The first effects of a milk famine were felt here Monday as the result of the deadlock between dairymen and distributors over the price the former shall receive for their product. It was estimated that milk trains brought to this city Sunday night 600,000 less than the usual 2,500,000 quarts.

The milk companies announced that hospitals and homes, in which there are children who are ill, will receive first consideration and for the present will obtain a full supply.

## REVOLVER BATTLE

Is Fought over the "Sale" of a Woman for \$200 in a Chicago Suburb.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Seven men fought a revolver battle over the "sale" of a woman for \$200 in a suburban road house early Monday with the result that one of the men was shot to death and another was wounded probably fatally. Fifty or sixty shots were fired. The slain man was "Peggy" O'Day, a saloon keeper. Daniel Hartman, one of O'Day's companions, was shot through the lung.

According to the story told the police by Samuel Harris, owner of the road house, Hartman had offered to "sell" him a woman and there had been a dispute over the price. O'Day and Hartman and two associates, all heavily armed, drove up to the house in an automobile and attacked the proprietor and two waiters, Harris said.

## TRENCH TAKEN.

PARIS, Oct. 2.—The war office announced Monday that the French captured a trench and prisoners Sunday night on the Somme front east of Bouchavesnes.

## HOSPITALS

Will Be Represented at a Convention to Be Held in the City of Huntington.

Arrangements are being completed for the meeting of the West Virginia State Hospital Association which will be held at Huntington on Wednesday, October 11, at which time it is expected that practically every hospital in the state will be represented. One of the features of the meeting will be the discussion of means for the betterment of hospital work in all the institutions of the state and there will be a number of prominent speakers on the program.

All directors of hospital companies, as well as physicians and superintendents, are members of the association and a representative convention is expected. Dr. Schofield, of Charleston, is president of the association, and Dr. St. Clair, of Bluefield, secretary. The association meets twice each year, the mid-season meeting being held with the State Medical Association.

At the regular convention this year business sessions will occupy but one day and in the evening the delegates will be the guests of the

Hatfield again Lays Down the Gauntlet to Democratic Candidate for Governor.

## MAKES AN UGLY CHARGE

Governor Shows a Democratic Judge Urged Payment of Biddinger Claim.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 2.—"A cowardly refusal," is the comment of Governor Hatfield in a statement given out replying to John J. Cornwell, Democratic nominee for governor, who refused to accept the challenge issued by Governor Hatfield for a series of joint discussions on the issues that have been raised by Cornwell in attacking the record of the Republican state administration. Cornwell's reason assigned for declining was "too much occupied" to accept the challenge and that he did not desire "to undertake the burden of securing for the governor audiences before which to defend his administration."

Governor Hatfield brands the Cornwell alibi as a weak defense and declares that it is "palpably insincere on its face." He charges Cornwell with being afraid to meet him in joint discussion and ridicules his plea as a "drawing card for crowds."

He lays down the gauntlet to Cornwell, charging him with making malicious statements from the civil contingent fund. He also charges Cornwell and defies him to deny that he is riding about the state on railroad and Pullman passes and put the question to the Democratic candidate for governor as to his opinion of the propriety of such action.

In regard to payment made in connection with the legislative bribery cases to Guy B. Biddinger of \$1,957.84, Governor Hatfield gives out in his statement the letter in which Judge William S. O'Brien, a Democrat, who presided at the trial, approved the Biddinger bill and urged its payment. He also calls attention to the fact that this expenditure had been reported to the legislature of 1915 and had been approved. Another expenditure which was the basis of an insinuation by Cornwell that public funds had been used for running down state officials, was a requisition for \$4,000 which had been drawn from the civil contingent fund for use in connection with the criminal prosecution of A. Leo Weil, under indictment in the intermediate court of Kanawha county for attempted bribery of two members of the public service commission. This expenditure was authorized, it is evidenced by the governor, by a committee of the legislature of 1915 composed of Democrats and Republicans, and it is also pointed out that the amount was turned over in its entirety to T. C. Townsend, prosecuting attorney of the county. Attention is also called to the fact that an investigating committee of the legislature composed of Democrats and Republicans approved the expenditure and declared that no portion of the \$4,000 had been misappropriated.

In conclusion Governor Hatfield states that he will take the stump to defend his administration and will be glad to meet Mr. Cornwell at any time he chooses to do so. His statement is as follows:

**Governor's Statement.**  
"In a cowardly refusal to accept my challenge to meet him before the people of the state in a joint discussion of the issues that he has raised in connection with the record of my administration as governor of West Virginia, Mr. John J. Cornwell, the Democratic nominee for governor, has seen fit to continue his malicious insinuations as to certain expenditures made by me as governor of the state."

Mr. Cornwell declares that his "time is too much occupied with this campaign to undertake the burden of securing for the governor audiences before which to defend his administration." So palpably insincere upon its face is this kind of a statement that it must be apparent to all persons that Mr. Cornwell is afraid to meet me in joint discussion of the record of this administration. So far as the size of the audiences is concerned, it would appear that if he hoped to gain anything from such a discussion he would be glad to have as large a crowd as possible present. And so far as concerns the size of the crowds that have been hearing Mr. Cornwell, I am reliably informed that there is no reason to anticipate any tumultuous outpouring of the people, as for instance, when the Democratic candidate spoke at Madison last week he was heard by thirty-seven persons, approximately one-half of these being prisoners."

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## FINE PEACHES.

Two fine peaches were brought to the Telegram office Monday morning by J. S. Adams, of 601 Buckhannon avenue Broad Oaks, who raised them in his orchard. The peaches weigh nine ounces each and are nine and one-half inches in circumference.

Cabell County Medical Society. It was not known last evening whether members of the management or any of the physicians of the local hospitals would attend, although a number contemplate doing so.